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Excerpt of pertinent information :

1. Although the government is ruled by the FND, source believes that it is weak and doubts that it will last long. . . .

4. Source said the Russian policy was not forthright until it was revealed in the "Pravda" article of 22 February, attacking Radescu. This revelation of policy was due to the jeopardy in which FND had been placed by Radescu's strong stand against it. He thinks that Russia was forced to interfere because of the Left's errors and continued Anglo-American support of Manin and the historical parties. He thinks Vyshinski intended to establish a new coalition government, half FND and half historical parties, but Manin's and Bratianu's refusal forced him to go to extremes. . . .

5. Manin was wholly opposed to the FND's effort to increase its power. Bratianu was of the same opinion, but at the last moment he saw the danger to the historical parties of leaving themselves completely out of the picture, and changed his mind. Manin, Visoianu and Radescu advised the King to abdicate, hoping to show at the Peace Conference that Russia forced the creation of the new government, but the King's action legalised it. . . .

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